Participants arrive May 27

**May 28**

8.30—9.00  Registration

9.00—9.30  Session I: Opening

  Timothy Besley, Ravi Kanbur, Sendhil Mullainathan

9.30—10.45  Session II: Behavioral Economics (1)

  Abhijit Banerjee and Sendhil Mullainathan: “Motivation and poverty.”

10.45—11.15  Break

11.15—12.30  Session III: Public Economics (1)

  Ernst Fehr: “The behavioral effects of minimum wages.”
  Erica Field: “Educational debt burden and career choice: evidence from a financial aid experiment at NYU Law School.”

12.30—2.00  Lunch

2.00—3.45  Session IV: Development Economics (1)

  Caroline Freund and Caglar Ozden: “Lobbying for protection: A behavioral approach.”
  Marcel Fafchamps and Forhad Shilpi: “Subjective wellbeing and isolation.”
Raji Jayaraman: “Deconstructing domestic violence.”

3.45—4.30 Break

4.30—5.45 Session V: Public Economics (2)

Matti Tuomala, Ravi Kanbur and Jukka Pirttila: “Moral hazard, income taxation and prospect theory.”

Tom Russell, Howard Kunreuther and Mark Pauly: “Public/private partnerships for catastrophic insurance: some behavioral issues.”

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9.00—10.45 Session VI: Public Economics (3)

Lorne Carmichael and Bentley Macleod: “Welfare economics with intransitive revealed endowment effect.”

Ed McCaffery and Jonathan Baron: “Uncovered hidden taxes and indirect effects.”

Ted O'Donoghue and Matthew Rabin: “Optimal sin taxes.”

10.45—11.15 Break

11.15—12.30 Session VII: Development Economics (2)

Karla Hoff and Priyanka Pandey: “Why are social inequalities so durable? An experimental test of the effects of Indian caste on performance.”

Dean Karlan: “Using experimental economics to measure social capital and predict financial decisions.”

12.30—2.00 Lunch

2.00—3.15 Session VIII: Behavioral Economics (2)

Colin Camerer, Monica Capra and Charles Noussair: “Institutions and the resolution of coordination failure in growth experiments.”


3.15—3.45 Break
3.45—4.30  Session IX: Development Economics (3)

Esther Duflo and Michael Kremer: “Understanding technology adoption: Fertilizer in Western Kenya—preliminary results from field experiments.”


4.30—5.30  Session X: Overview and the Way Forward

Pranab Bardhan and Matthew Rabin